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re patent application of:

Inventors: **Hayden**

Application No. **10/811,338**

Filed: **March 26, 2004**

Title: **Navigated Pin Placement for  
Orthopaedic Procedures**

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) **MMB Docket No. 1671-0298**

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**PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a)**

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Sir:

In connection with the Office Action dated April 14, 2006 in the above-entitled application, Applicant respectfully requests a two (2) month extension in which to file a response, from July 14, 2006 to September 14, 2006.

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The \$450.00 fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (a) (2) is submitted herewith. Also, please provide any further extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any fees which may be due to Deposit Account No. 13-0014, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR AMENDMENT

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### TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified patent application. Also enclosed herewith is a Petition for a Two (2) Month Extension of Time. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

### CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Paid For	Fee Calculation	Additional Fee
Total Claims	20	36	0 X 50	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	4	0 X 200	\$0.00
Total Additional Fee Required				\$0.00

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